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In re Application of: David Proscia, et al.

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For: A Fiber Optic Component Carrier apparatus and Method for an Integrated Optical Fiber Processing System

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PETITION FOR FOUR-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to grant a four-month extension of time to and including September 14, 2002, in which to file the Response to Notice to File Missing Parts.

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Respectfully submitted,

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